



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 9314.0002-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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BANDEMER, Adalbert et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2633  
)  
Application No.: 09/807,950 ) Examiner: BELLO, Agustin  
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Filed: April 4, 2002 ) Confirmation No. 9432  
)  
For: SYSTEM FOR MINIMIZING OR )  
COMPENSATING PMD-INDUCED )  
DISTORTION IN OPTICAL TRANSMISSION )  
SYSTEMS AND TRANSMISSION FIBRES IN )  
PARTICULAR )

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME - 1 MONTH**

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Election Requirement of May 3, 2005. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$120.00 to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.


Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: July 1, 2005

By:

  
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